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## COURT'S CONVENES:

Circuit Court—First Monday in February, June and October.  
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Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1915.

## BUSINESS ORGANIZATION NEEDED.

Never in the history of Crossville and Cumberland county was a Board of Trade, Chamber of Commerce or some such business organization so badly needed as at this time. Never has there been a time when such an organization could accomplish so much as now.

The chances for doing good and effective work are due to the fact that this section is now receiving more attention from outsiders than ever before. That is due to the prominence given by the Memphis-to-Bristol and Dixie highways, which are now assured for this county.

The first and most pressing thing that such an organization as we mention could and should consider, is our taxing system. If the best informed persons of our town and county would bring their minds to bear on the subject there is no doubt that it would be worked out in a way that could be equitable to all and supply every reasonable need of the county.

The fixing up of Main street of our town should have early and earnest attention. The time is most opportune because when the money is spent for building the Dixie highway a small additional amount on the part of the city would give us a street equal to that of any city. The way our town is located the drainage proposition is an exceedingly easy one and could be carried out with a moderate expense.

Crossville and Cumberland county have as public spirited men as any place and if they were once united the good they could do for our county and town would be great. It only remains for us to get together and formulate plans for carrying out the needed changes and improvements and it will surely be done.

Cumberland county is very fortunate in one way particularly: That is in the commission it has to handle the funds for building the Dixie highway and completing the Memphis-to-Bristol highway.

In some of the counties of the state we are reliably informed that the grossest kind of graft is being employed in road building. Happily no such thing need be feared in this county. The men who have the money to spend are as far above any such thing as it is possible to find anywhere. They are men of both ability and honesty and the person who expects to run a graft scheme over them will have to present a very shrewd scheme; one that would deceive almost any person, before he can have a ghost of a chance to place his finger on one dollar of the county money unjustly.

There is every probability that the commissioners will be criticized and censured for not pushing the work forward more rapidly than they will likely do. The commission naturally expects such things. Those who will make the most complaint are very likely to be the persons who know the least touching the real conditions and the difficulties the case presents. Let's be patient and stand ready to help rather than to criticize.

Because of this fortunate situation is one of the strongest reasons why Crossville needs some kind of a business organization. It should not be confined to Crossville, but should embrace every progressive citizen in the county. The first move must be made by Crossville. The time is ripe, the opportunities for good results were

## SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell."

I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good.

I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together.

My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it.

Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlastingly tired feeling?

If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century.

Begin taking Cardui to-day. You won't regret it. All druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 124

never so great. What would you suggest?

## OUR TAXES.

Every person who has taken the trouble to think upon our system of taxation freely admits that our rate is so high as to have the tendency to keep cash capital from coming among us.

It is also well understood that the expenses of the county are soon to be increased to a considerable extent and that the increase must be met from taxes collected from the people.

It is likewise understood by many that unimproved property is not so nearly assessed at its actual value as is improved property in most instances. Just what the difference is would be hard to state without a very careful survey and estimate of values.

It has been claimed by some that to increase taxes on unimproved property would result in gross injustice to non-residents. No doubt that would prove true in some instances for the reason that any burden that is placed on property cannot actually be evenly distributed, try we never so hard.

We do not think that is the real issue in this case. The real issue is: Shall we continue to force the majority of the people, who have small holdings, to carry an unreasonable part of the burdens of taxation for fear injustice will be done to a few? Such a course would not be in keeping with common sense or the basic principles of our form of government. The rule of the majority and the greatest good to the greatest number is the basis on which our government rests.

The time has passed when an assessor can or should go to the office of the county trustee and copy from his tax book the assessment of the holdings of the majority of the people. Every piece of property should be seen by the assessor and assessed much more nearly to its actual value than it now is. If that is done much of the unimproved property of the county will come nearer paying its just proportion of the taxes of our county than is now the case.

The people should make up their minds that they will pay a little more by having their valuations raised and the present rate reduced. In that case unimproved property must and will have to bear its part. We cannot increase the rate. Then the only course left open is to increase values.

Every person in the county should think on this seriously for a change is bound to come. Above all, let every person show a willingness to accept a fair increase and then we may logically demand an increase of the value of the unimproved property.

A very peculiar condition prevails in China. It will be remembered that a few years ago China suddenly changed from a monarchy to a republic.

The republic has not met with the full approval of the people and it has been charged that the president has encouraged the idea of a return to a monarchy. He denies the charge and says the republic will continue and that he has no desire to become emperor.

There has been such strong agitation relative to a return to a monarchy, recently, that Japan and Russia both felt constrained to make known their views on the subject and strange as it may seem they very much disliked the idea of the country returning to a mon-

archy.

The United States and France, the two leading republics of the world, were expected to express a preference relative to the proposed change, but they did not do so.

So it seems two of the leading monarchies of the far east look with disfavor on the idea of another monarchy being established, but prefer the republic. The two leading republics of the world look on without sufficient interest to express a preference.

The old saying that "politics make strange bedfellows" is greatly outdone in this instance, when world diplomacy is involved. The meaning is entirely too deep for the average person.

The White County Favorite has announced that the price of 50 cents a year will be advanced to \$1.00 a year January 1, 1916. The Favorite is well worth \$1.50 a year, which shows that it has been giving the paper to its readers for only one-third its value.

It seems almost an impossibility to get newspaper men, especially the country type, to put much real hard business sense into his work. He thinks it all right for other businesses to advance the price of their wares when expenses demand it, but for the country newspaper man, oh, no, that would be robbery!

We will venture the statement that not one per cent of the country newspapers throughout the south are making even a decent living for the owners, to say nothing of laying by something as against the time when he will have to surrender the pen to a younger person. The fault is with the publishers, more largely than anywhere else.

It is gratifying to see, however, that some newspaper men are awakening and will demand their dues. The Rockwood Times and Harriman Record have both announced that they will advance the price of subscription to \$1.50 beginning with January 1, next.

Last week the Harriman Record consumed over a column of space in what it was pleased to call an answer to our editorial of recent date.

If the Record will tell us how any one is going to prevent tourists from coming via Crossville over the Dixie Short Line highway, when the distance is more than one hundred miles shorter than to go around by Knoxville, we will then be prepared to present other good reasons why they will want to come this way instead of the route via Harriman and Knoxville.

In no sense of the word is the Record man competent to advise as to building highways through this county and for that reason he is silly to attempt to discuss it.

While the road between Crossville and Grassy Cove is not what would be called a good road, it is no worse than many miles in Roane county. For that reason the Record man had better get the beam out of his own eye before calling attention to the mote in the eye of Cumberland county.

All the good natured jokes the Record man puts on this section would apply just as well to many people in Roane county.

The Rockwood Times has placed an order with the Mergenthaler Linotype Company for a Model 5 Linotype machine. Such a machine, when in the hands of a competent operator, will do the work of three or four persons by hand. The Times is one of the best papers in East Tennessee and is to be congratulated on this splendid move as it means a better paper for Times readers. Such a machine costs a pretty penny and will dig a mighty big hole in the profits of the business for several years. We glory in the pluck and energy displayed by Editor Sulte and hope he will find the investment the best one he ever made.

Saturday that fly on the nose of "Ham" Patterson suddenly became a bald hornet and it sitting down.

Wonder if Luke Lea didn't make a mistake in the person he put in that bed in the cartoon in the Tennesseean just before the election? Ask "Ham" and see what he says.

## OH! WHAT A CHANGE!

One hundred years ago today When wilderness was here, With powder in his gun, the man Went out and got a deer. But now the thing has changed— And on another plan, With powder on her cheeks, The "dear" goes out and gets the man.—Ex.

OUR JITNEY OFFER—THIS AND 5c DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of an order of sale from the Circuit Court of Cumberland County, Tennessee, in case of Lige Dickerson vs R. A. Renfro and Geo. T. Renfro directed to the Sheriff of said county, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash on the 13th day of December, 1915, at the court house door in the town of Crossville, Tennessee, a certain tract or parcel of land subject, however, to the homestead rights of the owner, as follows:

Lying and being in the First Civil District of Cumberland County, Tennessee: Being lots Nos. 11 and 12, block 16 of Anderson and Beadle Addition to the town of Crossville, recorded in Book 4, pages 568 and 569; and lot No. 13, in block 16 of Anderson and Beadle Addition to the town of Crossville, and recorded in Book 6, page 253 of the Register's office of said county, to which reference is had for full description. Said property is levied on as the property of Geo. T. Renfro to satisfy a judgement rendered against him in favor of Lige Dickerson.

This November 19, 1915.  
G. W. Toney, Sheriff.

11-24-3t.

## LOCATING THE TROUBLE.

When one is suffering from backache, rheumatism, lumbago, biliousness, sharp pains, sore muscles, and stiff joints it is not always easy to locate the source of trouble, but nine times out of ten it can be traced to overworked, weakened or diseased kidneys. Foley Kidney Pills have benefited thousands of sufferers. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of an order of sale from the Circuit Court of Cumberland County, Tennessee, in case of Mary J. Hamby vs M. S. Wyrick, et al, I will on the 13th day of December, 1915, at the court house door in the town of Crossville, Tennessee, sell to the highest bidder for cash, subject, however, to the homestead rights of the owner, the following tract of land:

Lying in the Fourth Civil District of said county, in the town of Crab Orchard, Tennessee, and bounded on the north by Ally, on the south by Call Street, on the east by Wyrick, on the west by Stansbury. Said property is levied on as the property of M. S. Wyrick to satisfy a judgement against him in favor of the said Mary J. Hamby.

This November 13, 1915.  
G. W. Toney, Sheriff.

11-24-3t.

## CHEAPER THAN HOME-MADE.

You cannot make a good cough medicine at home for as little as you pay for Foley's Honey and Tar, nor can you be sure of getting the fresh, full strength, clean and pure material. Did you ever hear of a home-made cough medicine doing the work that Foley's is doing every day all over the country? For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## TO ARTHUR W. KEYES.

Manufacturers National Bank vs J. M. Roberts, et al No. 1287.

In the Chancery Court at Crossville, Tennessee.

It appearing from the bill in this case, which is sworn to, that A. W. Keyes is justly indebted to the Manufacturers National Bank of Harriman, the complainant, and that he resides out of the state, and an attachment having been issued and levied on the defendant's property, it is ordered that publication be made for four consecutive weeks in the Crossville Chronicle, requiring the said defendant to appear before said Chancery Court on the Fourth Monday of February next and make his defense to the bill filed against him in this cause, otherwise said bill will be taken for confessed, and the cause proceeded ex parte as to him.

This Nov. 10, 1915.  
C. G. Black, Clerk and Master.

## WENT TO THE HOSPITAL.

C. E. Blanchard, postmaster, Blanchard, Cal., writes: "I had kidney trouble so bad I had to go to the hospital. Foley Kidney Pills completely cured me." Men and women testify they banish lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles and sleep disturbing bladder ailments. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## CHANCERY LAND SALE.

In the causes of James W. and J. R. Cooper, Administrators vs Marcus Cooper, et al and W. T. Smith, et al vs J. W. and J. R. Cooper, et al and J. W. and J. R. Cooper, et al vs

Cumberland Coal and Realty Company I was ordered, at the last term of the Chancery Court, to sell the herein-after described tract of land to satisfy the claims and judgement of the Bank of Bell Buckle, Tennessee.

Now therefore, on Saturday, the 18th day of December, 1915, I will offer the following described tract of land at the court house door in Crossville, Tennessee. Cash sufficient to pay costs and the decree in this branch of the case will be demanded of the purchaser, the balance on a credit of six and twelve months.

Said tract of land contains 233 2-10 acres more or less, and is described by metes and bounds in minute Book H, page 349. Said book is referred to for further and full description.

This Nov. 12, 1915.  
C. G. Black, Clerk and Master.

11-17-3t.

## LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale from the Circuit court for Cumberland county, Tennessee, in the case of A. Lee against Oscar Hudgens, commanding me so to do, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door, in Crossville, Tennessee, on December the 18th, 1915, all the interest that Oscar Hudgens has in the following tract of land, lying in Mayland, Cumberland county, Tennessee, in the Second District of said county and state, subject to his homestead rights in the same. Beginning at H. L. Welch's southeast corner on Lee Avenue running southward with said Avenue 50 feet; thence westward at right angles with street 143 feet; thence northward 50 feet to H. L. Welch's southwest corner; thence eastward with H. L. Welch's line 143 feet to the beginning, levied on as the property of Oscar Hudgens to satisfy a judgement against him.

This November 18th, 1915.

G. W. Toney, Sheriff.

11-24-3t.

## MADE OVER AGAIN.

Mrs. Jennie Miner, Davidson, Ind., writes: "I can truthfully say Foley Cathartic Tablets are the best I ever used. They are so mild in action. I feel like I had been made over again." They keep stomach sweet, liver active and bowels regular. They banish constipation, indigestion, biliousness, sick headache. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

## SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of an order of sale from the Circuit Court of Cumberland County, Tennessee, in the case of E. S. Jones vs Frank Perkins, et al, directed to the sheriff of said county, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the door of the court house in Crossville, Tennessee, December 11th, 1915, a certain tract of land, lying and being in the Second Civil District of Cumberland County, Tennessee, and described as follows:

Beginning at a white oak, Jack Turner's beginning corner; west 180 poles to a white oak; thence north 70 poles to a double white oak on bank of branch; thence south 45, west 280 poles to pine and ponders on bank of Snake Den branch; with Snake Den branch to Clear Creek, crossing Clear Creek to Slanting Rock; thence with bluff of Clear Creek on north side to Turner ford to a white oak, at the mouth of Big Branch; thence up said branch to the beginning, containing 430 acres, more or less. Said property is levied on and to be sold as the property of Frank Perkins, and is recorded in Book 7, page 48, in the Register's office for Cumberland county, Tennessee.

This November 11th, 1915.

G. W. Toney, Sheriff.

11-17-3t.

## EVERY HOME NEEDS A FAITHFUL COUGH AND COLD REMEDY.

When the seasons changes and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimonial before, but I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we have ever used and we have tried them all." 50c and \$1.00

## SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of an order of sale from the Circuit Court of Cumberland County, Tennessee, in case of The Farmers' Cooperative Supply Company, vs J. B. Burkhardt and L. G. Bugg, I will, on the 13th day of December, 1915, at the court house door in the town of Crossville, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in the First Civil District of said county and state as follows:

First Tract: Beginning at a post on James Tabor's southeast corner, thence east 18 poles to a stake; thence north 10 1-2 poles to a stake in David Cox's line; thence west with said line 15 poles to R. S. Baisley's corner; thence south with his line 50 feet; thence west with his line 50 feet; thence south 10 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 1 1-2 acres, more or less, excluding the following, to-wit: Beginning on the south east corner on Jones Tabor's tract; thence west 35 feet; thence north 100 feet to Pemmock's line at a stone; thence east 35 feet to Pemmock's corner; thence with said line 100 feet to the beginning.

Second Tract: Beginning at a stone in the line of the right of way of the Tennessee Central railroad, running thence north 3 degrees east 152 feet to a stone; thence parallel with McLowe's line south 87 degrees, east 297 feet to a stone or stake standing south 3 degrees, west 15 feet from McLowe's and David Cox's corner; thence south 3 degrees, west 183 feet to a stake in the right of way of the Tennessee Central railroad; thence with said right of way north 83, west 297 feet to the beginning; only the surface right conveyed in this tract, containing 1 acre, more or less.

Third Tract: Beginning on a rock in the southeast corner of M. H. Jenkins yard fence on the Cumberland Coal and Coke Company line; thence east with said line to a corner made by David Cox; thence with said line 10 poles to a rock; thence west with said line to the southeast corner of M. H. Jenkins yard fence, containing one-half acre, more or less.

All above tracts levied on as the property of L. G. Bugg to satisfy a judgement against him in the above styled case.

This November 19, 1915.

G. W. Toney, Sheriff.

11-24-3t.